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Dear Healthcare Professional:

Influenza Vaccine

Influenza vaccination is the best method of preventing influenza and its potentially serious complications. Prebooking your influenza vaccine is the first step in being able to help protect your patients and those around them from the complications of the flu for the upcoming 2006-2007 season. Chiron Vaccines will be offering two product presentations for 2006-2007:

FLUVIRIN[®] Influenza Virus Vaccine

5 mL vial

FLUVIRIN[®] Influenza Virus Vaccine, Preservative Free

0.5 mL prefilled syringe

Prebooking Information

CHIRON makes FLUVIRIN[®] vaccine available through distributors. In order to prebook vaccine for 2006-2007, you will need to call any one of the following current distributors to place your order.

FLUVIRIN[®] Influenza Virus Vaccine Distributors	
ASD Healthcare	Phone: (866)-281-4FLU (4358) Web: www.asdhealthcare.com
FFF Enterprises	Phone: (800)-843-7477 Web: www.fffenterprises.com
Henry Schein	Phone: (800)-772-4346 Web: www.henryschein.com
Henry Schein / GIV, Inc.	Phone: (800)-521-7468 Web: www.giv.com
Henry Schein / Caligor	Phone: (888)-225-4467 Web: www.caligor.com
McKesson	Phone: (800)-446-3008 Web: www.mckesson.com
CuraScript (formerly Priority Healthcare)	Phone: (877)-599-7748 Fax: (800)-862-6208
PSS / World Medical	Phone: (904)-332-3000 Web: www.pssworldmedical.com
Seacoast Medical	Phone: (800)-732-2115 Web: www.seacoastmedical.com

Flu Clinic Practice Support Program

CHIRON offers its customers a comprehensive educational and promotional program designed to help promote vaccination to patients. The program contains useful information, including:

- Influenza educational materials
- Flu clinic management materials
- Flu clinic promotional materials
- Staff management educational materials

This program support offered by CHIRON helps healthcare professionals fully utilize their vaccine supply and maximize vaccinations to protect their patients. Please visit **www.flupracticesupport.com** for sample materials and more information.

Chiron Vaccines thanks you for your support and hopes you take advantage of this opportunity to prebook vaccine and protect those who are at risk for complications from influenza.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ronald D. Stern", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Ronald D. Stern
Product Director

Important Safety Information

The most common side effect of vaccination with FLUVIRIN® Influenza Virus Vaccine is soreness at the injection site. Less common side effects include fever, malaise, myalgia, and allergic reactions. FLUVIRIN® vaccine should not be administered to anyone with a history of hypersensitivity to any component of the vaccine, including eggs, egg products, or thimerosal. As is the case with most drugs and vaccines, there is a chance that a serious allergic reaction, serious illness, or even death could occur as a result of vaccination with FLUVIRIN® vaccine. Generally, persons should not be vaccinated during an acute febrile illness. FLUVIRIN® is not indicated for use in children under the age of 4 years. Persons should consult with their healthcare providers if they are pregnant and/or are taking other medications. FLUVIRIN® vaccine may not protect 100% of individuals who are susceptible to influenza. Before administering FLUVIRIN® vaccine, please see full prescribing information.